

In the Specification:

At Column 1, lines 6-17, please amend the paragraph as follows:

This application is a continuation in part of the following copending applications: PCT/US96/06618 (May 7, 1996), Ser. No. 08/637,531 (filed Apr. 25, 1996) allowed, Ser. No. 08/534,005 (filed Sep. 25, 1995) allowed, Ser. No. [08/598,083] 08/508,083 (filed Jul. 27, 1995) pending, Ser. No. 08/436,102 (filed May 8, 1995) now U.S. Pat. No. [5,778,783] 5,748,783, and Ser. No. 08/327,426 (filed Oct. 21, 1994) now U.S. Pat. No. 5,768,426. This later application is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 08/215,289 (filed Mar. 17, 1994), now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 08/154,866 (filed Nov. 18, 1993), also abandoned. Application No. 08/637,531, filed April 25, 1996, claims priority to Application No. 08/512,993, filed August 9, 1995 (abandoned). Application No. 08/637,531, filed April 25, 1996, is a continuation in part of Application No. 08/512,993, filed August 9, 1995 (now abandoned). Priority is claimed to each of these prior applications.

At Column 1, line 19, after the section entitled "Related Application Data" and before the section entitled "BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION", please insert the following paragraph:

REFERENCE TO COMPUTER PROGRAM LISTING

The file of this patent includes duplicate copies of a compact disc with a file entitled "Appendix B.txt", having a size of 375,829 bytes (376,832 bytes on disc). While the file on the compact discs was created or burned to the discs on January 27, 2004, the commented source code listing in the file consists of the same material that was originally filed with application no. 08/649,419 in hard copy form (i.e., Appendix B). The material on the compact discs is hereby incorporated by reference.

At column 90, line 61, after the paragraph ending with "A lightbulb is one suitable logo."
please amend the next paragraph as follows:

Appendix B

A software version of a steganographic marking/decoding "plug-in" for use with Adobe Photoshop software, presented as commented source code, is included in the file of this patent on a compact disc in a file named Appendix B.txt, which is incorporated by reference. The code was written for compilation with Microsoft's Visual C++ compiler, version 4.0, and can be understood by those skilled in the art.